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GAETANA GIAMBRUNO TOMASINO

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Mr. McCARRAN, from the Committee on the Judiciary, submitted the following

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REPORT

[To accompany H. R. 6637]

The Committee on the Judiciary, to which was referred the bill (H. R. 6637) for the relief of Gaetana Giambruno Tomasino having considered the same, reports favorably thereon, without amendment, and recommends that the bill do pass.

PURPOSE OF THE BILL

The purpose of the bill is to grant to the minor adopted child of United States citizens the status of a nonquota immigrant, which is the status normally enjoyed by the alien minor children of citizens of the United States.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

The beneficiary of the bill is an 11-year-old native and citizen of Italy, who has been adopted by Mr. and Mrs. Ignazio Tomasino, who are citizens of the United States.

Congressman Victor L. Anfuso, the author of the bill, submitted to a subcommittee of the Committee on the Judiciary of the House of Representatives the following information in connection with the bill:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, D. C., May 13, 1952.

Re H. R. 6637, for the relief of Gaetana Giambruno Tomasino.

Hon. FRANCIS E. WALTER,
Chairman, Immigration Subcommittee, Committee on the Judiciary,
House of Representatives, Washington 25, D. C.

DEAR MR. WALTER: Mr. and Mrs. Ignazio Tomasino, 106 St. Nicholas Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y., who have adopted the above-named child, reside in my congressional district only a short distance from my home. I have known the family for many years and know them to be reputable citizens and responsible members of my community.

Although married for more than 30 years, they never had a child of their own. I believe they went to Italy for the specific purpose of adopting this child, who is related to them.

I have every reason to believe that both Mr. and Mrs. Tomasino will make excellent parents and that the child will be reared properly in the best of circumstances.

With kindest regards, I am,

Sincerely yours,

VICTOR L. ANFUSO.

STATE OF NEW YORK,
County of Kings, ss:

Ignazio Tomasino and Petrina Tomasino, husband and wife, residing at 106 St. Nicholas Avenue in the borough of Brooklyn, city and State of New York, being duly sworn, depose and say:

1. The undersigned are both United States citizens.
2. That they were married on September 1, 1920, and have lived together ever since.
3. That there are no children born of said marriage.
4. In September of 1951, deponents visited Italy and met for the first time Gaetana Giambruno, a minor child 11 years of age, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Giambruno, who are related to your deponents. That deponents took an immediate liking to said child and with the consent of the parents formally adopted said child, as evidenced by the attached certificate of adoption.

That deponents, during all the years that they have been married, have longed to have a child of their own but were unable to do so. That they have finally met a child whom they are willing to make their own and raise said child as though born to them.

As evidenced by other attached affidavits, deponents are able to provide for said child and to guarantee that she will never become a public charge.

IGNAZIO TOMASINO.
PETRINA TOMASINO.

Sworn to before me this 9th day of May 1952.

MURRAY MARROCCO
Notary Public, State of New York.

Term expires March 30, 1954.

PROVINCE OF PALERMO, BOROUGH OF ROCCAMENA

BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS, ROCCAMENA

[SUMMARY EXTRACTED FROM THE VITAL STATISTICS RECORDS OF YEAR 1950, ACT NO. I, PARTE II, SERIES C]

DECREE OF ADOPTION OF GAETANA GIAMBRUNO TOMASINO

In the register recording the vital data of this borough for year 1950, parte II, series C, it is transcribed a legal act filed with the order No. 1, concerning the adoption of Gaetana Giambruno, child of Pietro, whereby it is stated that Gaetana Giambruno, daughter of Pietro and Maria Montalbano, born in Roccamena on July 27, 1940, has been adopted by Mr. Ignazio Tomasino, son of the late Guiseppe and Anna Maria Ancona, born in Roccamena on December 4, 1891, and by Mrs. Pietra Giambruno, daughter of the late Pietro and Vincenza Torretta, born in Roccamena on September 4, 1902, both being husband and wife.

The above is in force of a decree of the Appellate Court of Palermo, Special Section for Minors, awarded on June 30, 1950.

The decree has been recorded by this Bureau on July 14, 1950.

The present summary is released upon request of the parties interested to be used for administrative purpose.

Dated: February 8, 1951 in Roccamena.

MATTEO ARCARA,
Officer of Vital Statistics Bureau.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
Borough of Brooklyn, County of Kings:

I, Domenick De Santis, notary public, hereby certify that the above submitted to me by Mr. and Mrs. I. Tomasino is a correct and complete translation of the Italian legal document herewith attached, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DOMENICK DE SANTIS,
Notary Public, State of New York.

Commission expires March 30, 1952.

AFFIDAVIT OF SUPPORT

IN THE MATTER OF IGNAZIO TOMASINO, CALLING TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA HIS ADOPTED DAUGHTER GAETANA GIAMBRUNO TOMASINO

STATE OF NEW YORK,
County of Kings, City of New York, ss:

Mr. Ignazio Tomasino, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he resides at 106 St. Nicholas Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y., county of Kings, State of New York; that he always was a law-abiding resident, the same of the above and hereundermentioned his adopted daughter; that he is a citizen of the United States by birth; that he was born in Roccamena, Italy, on December 4, 1891; that he was naturalized citizen of the United States on October 9, 1929, by the circuit court of Winnebago County, Rockford, State of Illinois, certificate No. 3191617, issued at Rockford, Ill.; that he owns real estate in Brooklyn, N. Y., consisting of one 6-family brick building, valued at $12,000, and money in the Hamburg Savings Bank of Brooklyn, N. Y., amounting at $5,649.57 and I have other personal property, the reasonable value of which is $1,500. That I have insurance in the sum of $1,500, cash surrender value of $1,050. That I have stocks and bonds in the amount of (none). That I am employed as, or engaged in the business of, presser with Jason Clothing Co., Inc., at 950 Hart Street, Brooklyn, N. Y., earning weekly wages of $80 and derive a net annual income of $4,000 and my net worth is $20,199.57.

That this affidavit is made for the purpose of admitting in the United States of America Gaetana Giambruno Tomasino, now residing at Roccamena, Italy, Province of Palermo.

Wherefore the affiant pray the consul of the United States of America at Palermo to issue the sailing permit to said Gaetana Giambruno Tomasino; that he will support her if needed, and guarantee that she will never become a public charge, very willing to give bond if required.

IGNAZIO TOMASINO.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 29th day of February 1952.

[SEAL] DOMENICK DESANTIS,
Notary Public, State of New York.

Commission expires March 30, 1952.

GOLDBERG DRESS CO.,
Brooklyn 21, N. Y., February 25, 1952.

To Whom It May Concern:

Petrina Tomasino has been in our employ from October 31, 1951, to February 22, 1952 (16 weeks), as an operator on dresses. During that time her average pay was $40.81 per week. She is still in our employ as an operator.

LOUIS GOLDBERG.

Signed and sworn to before me this 25th day of February 1952.

[SEAL] DOMENICK DESANTIS,
Notary Public, State of New York.

Commission expires March 30, 1952.

JASON CLOTHING CO., INC.,
Brooklyn 27, N. Y., February 25, 1952.

To Whom It May Concern:

Mr. Ignazio Tomasino has been in our employ for over a year and a half. He is employed as a presser and his average weekly earnings amount to $80.

Ignazio Tomasino is a steady, reliable employee and his position with us is on a permanent basis. He works 50 weeks a year.

JASON CLOTHING CO., INC.,
PANTS DIVISION,
R. MASKIN, *Bookkeeper.*

Signed and sworn to before me this 25th day of February 1952.

[SEAL] DOMENICK DESANTIS,
Notary Public, State of New York.

Commission expires March 30, 1952.

The committee, after consideration of all the facts in the case, is of the opinion that the bill (H. R. 6637) should be enacted.

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